

ABANDONED CONTAINER CHARACTERIZATION FORM

(One Form for Each Container)

Site Name: _____ Incident # : _____ Job # : _____

Characterized By: _____ Date: _____ County: _____

CONTAINER: # _____ GPS Coordinates: _____

Size (gal, oz): _____ Container Material: _____ Color: _____

Condition: _____ Top: _____ % Full: _____
Unopened / Intact / Rusty / Leaking / Bulging... Ring / Bung / Open / Screw...

Label
Information:

MATERIAL:

State: _____ # Phases _____ (each phase must be categorized separately)
Solid / Liquid / Gas / Soil / Trash

This Phase: _____
top / bottom...

Color: _____

Viscosity: Thin Thick Semi-solid Sludge Solid

Radiation: _____ PID: _____

Colorimetric tube: _____ FID: _____

Hazmat ID Result: _____

Oxidizer test + - Peroxide test + -

Water Soluble **IF YES (do below):** **IF NO (do below):**

Reactive Y N

Flammable Y N _____ °F

pH _____

Cyanide (pH > 7) + -

Sulfide (pH > 6) + -

Float / Sink F S

Flammable Y N _____ °F

Combustible Y N

Chlor-Detect + - _____ ppm

Copper wire + - _____ color

Lab Sample Taken? Y N

Number: _____

Overpacked? Y N

Analytical Parameters: _____

Marked by DNR? Y N

(**Include:** "MDNR", incident number, your initials, date investigated, spill line phone #, drum number (if more than one drum is present))